

Name: _____

Current Event Summary Form

Mr. Deutsch's class

Headline of Article:

Subject of Article: (world, national, state/local)

Source of Article:

Date Article was published:

Who is involved: (Who are the main characters in the article? What is their job title?
Why are these people important? How are they involved?)

What Happened, When, Where: (What is the story about? When did the event take place?
Where did the event happen?)

--Summarize the above info into 2-3 flowing sentences.

Why/How can we learn from this event: (Why is this article newsworthy? Why is this an
important story?)

Opinion: (What did you learn from reading this article? How do you feel about this
issue? Why should the American public and/or people involved care?)

Type/write your 5-7 sentence Article Summary below:

Include the following:

-Intro

An important event in the world happened....
It was a happy/tragic/sad/eventful time in....

-Information sentences from "5w's"

-Conclusion

I am glad that I read this article because. . . .
Because of the event in _____ we have learned that....
As a result of the event in _____ I feel that